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Chairman Woo Jinchul

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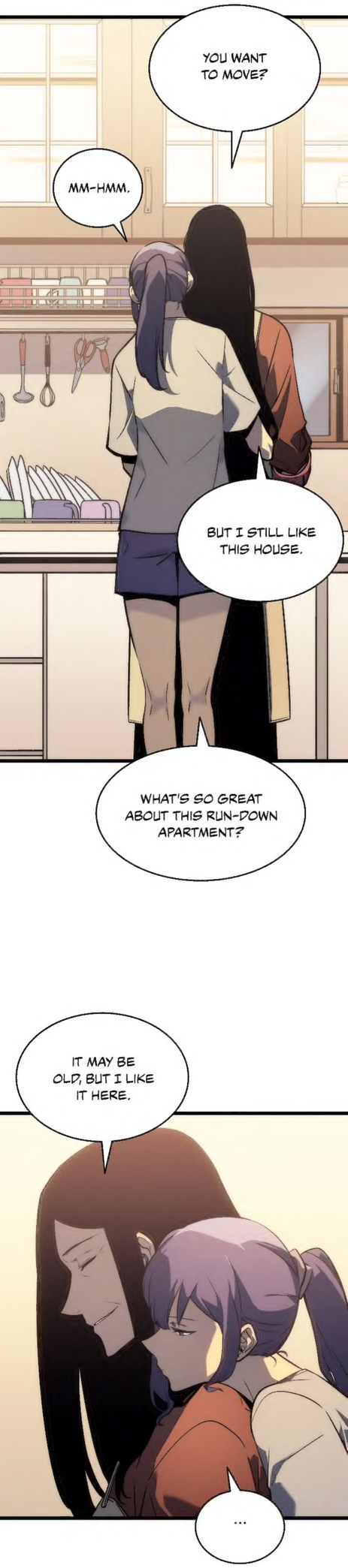
THIS COUNTRY'S IN CHAOS, AND SO IS THE REST OF THE WORLD...

MOM!
HUG
JINAH, IF YOU HAVE SOME TIME ON YOUR HANDS, CAN YOU THROW AWAY THE FOOD WASTE?
NO, I'M TOO LAZY TO DO THAT.

MOM, LET'S MOVE.


YOU WANT TO MOVE?
MM-HMM.
BUT I STILL LIKE THIS HOUSE.
WHAT'S SO GREAT ABOUT THIS RUN-DOWN APARTMENT?

IT MAY BE OLD, BUT I LIKE IT HERE.
...

WILL YOU AT LEAST FOLD THE LAUNDRY, MY SWEET DAUGHTER?
I'M ONLY YOUR "SWEET DAUGHTER" WHEN YOU WANT ME TO DO CHORES.

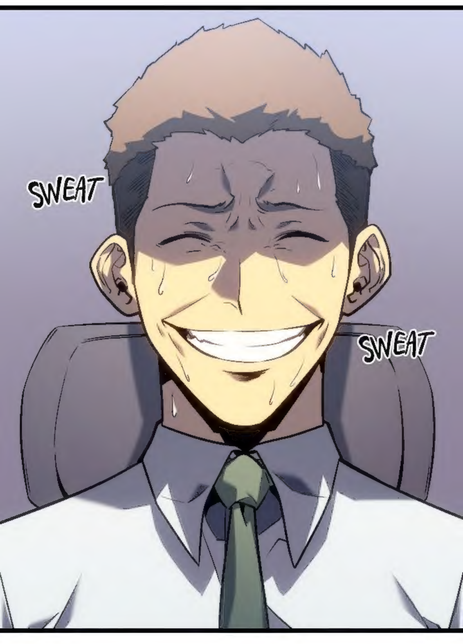
RATTLE

HUH?

M, MOM!
CLACK

ARE THE RUMORS TRUE? IS HE REALLY VISITING THE AHJIN GUILD RIGHT NOW?
YES, APPARENTLY SO.
I CAN'T BELIEVE...

...THOMAS ANDRE IS INSIDE THE AHJIN GUILD OFFICE.


SWEAT
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I CAN'T BELIEVE

THOMAS CAME TO KOREA! AND TO OUR OFFICE!

NOT ONLY THAT... LENNART NIERMANN, THE STRONGEST HUNTER IN GERMANY, IS HERE TOO!

LENNART NIERMANN

RANK 12 ON THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF HUNTERS' POINT RANKING SYSTEM

IT'S ALREADY BEEN TWO HOURS SINCE THEY GOT HERE!!
RRRING
RRRING

WHERE THE HECK ARE YOU, SIR?! PLEASE PICK UP...!

EVEN THOMAS THE GOLIATH IS HERE TO SEE SUNG JINWOO...
WILL I GET TO MEET WITH HIM TODAY...?

"IS MR. SUNG IN THE MIDDLE OF A RAID? HE MUST NOT COME BY THE OFFICE VERY OFTEN."

...IS WHAT HE SAID.

AH... YES... PROBABLY...

I'M BACK.

SIR~!!

I WAS WONDERING WHY THERE WERE SO MANY REPORTERS DOWNSTAIRS...
THEY MUST BE HERE BECAUSE OF THOMAS.
I HAD A FEELING IT WAS HIM BECAUSE OF HIS AURA.

SIR! WHY DIDN'T YOU ANSWER ANY OF MY CALLS?!
I'VE BEEN A LITTLE BUSY.

WAIT, YOUR CLOTHES...
GATES HAVE BEEN SPAWNING LEFT AND RIGHT LATELY. I CAN'T JUST SIT AROUND AND DO NOTHING.
BERU AND IGRIS ARE CLOSE TO RANKING UP, TOO.

IT'S BEEN A WHILE, MR. SUNG.

THEY'RE NOT GOING TO... FACE OFF AGAINST EACH OTHER HERE, ARE THEY?
WHAT BRINGS YOU TO KOREA?
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I SAID WE SHOULD GRAB A BITE ONCE MY ARM HEALS, REMEMBER?

ALSO...
I BROUGHT YOU A FANTASTIC GIFT.

A GIFT?
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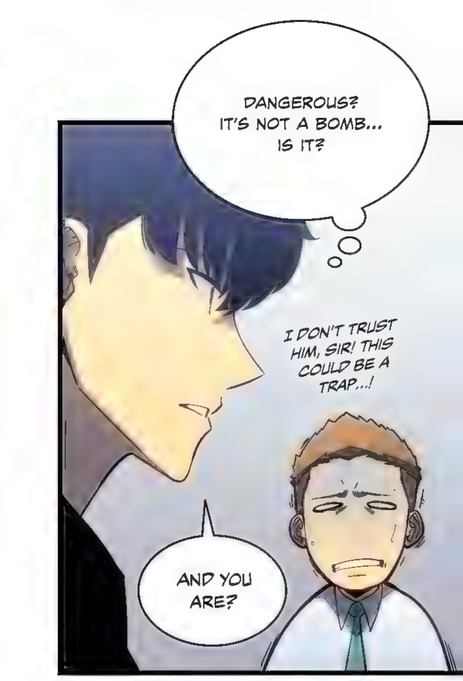
...I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU'RE INTERESTED.
WHY DON'T WE GO SOMEWHERE ELSE? I CAN'T JUST GIVE THEM TO YOU HERE... THEY'RE QUITE DANGEROUS.


DANGEROUS? IT'S NOT A BOMB... IS IT?
I DON'T TRUST HIM, SIR! THIS COULD BE A TRAP...!
AND YOU ARE?

I'M LENNART NIERMANN, MR. SUNG.

IS HE A HUNTER HERE TO ASK FOR PROTECTION?
SHALL WE GET GOING, MR. SUNG?

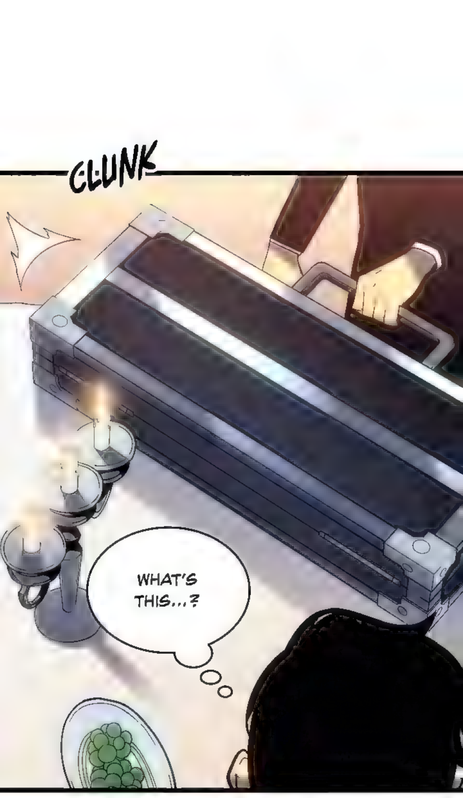
MR. SUNG?
FLINCH

HEY, WHO SAID YOU COULD COME ALONG?
I ALSO WAITED OVER TWO HOURS TO MEET WITH MR. SUNG.
SHOULDN'T I BE ALLOWED TO JOIN?

DAMN IT... SO THIS IS HOW IT'S GOING TO BE? I'VE NEVER BEEN TREATED LIKE THIS BEFORE!

LET'S GO, MR. SUNG.

YOU HAVE NO IDEA HOW LONG I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR THIS MOMENT.
SNAP


CLUNK
WHAT'S THIS...?

CAN YOU FEEL ITS POWER?

THIS IS MY WAY OF REPAYING YOU FOR SPARING MY LIFE AND THE LIVES OF MY GUILD MEMBERS THAT DAY.

CLICK

WAIT, IS THAT...

...KAMISH?

IMPRESSIVE. YOU RECOGNIZED WHAT THEY WERE MADE OF WITH A SINGLE GLANCE.
BUT ISN'T KAMISH'S CARCASS BEING KEPT BY THE BUREAU?

THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WANTED US TO HAND OVER THE CARCASS, SO WE DECIDED TO GIVE IT UP,
SINCE WE COULD GAIN A LOT MORE THAN JUST MONEY BY DOING SO.
BUT KAMISH'S LARGEST AND SHARPEST FANG, THE ONE I PULLED OUT WHEN IT BIT ME...
...WAS GIVEN TO ME AS A SOUVENIR.

BECAUSE IT WAS A BIT SHORT TO BE MADE INTO A LONGSWORD, I HAD IT TURNED INTO A PAIR OF DAGGERS. WHO KNEW THAT DECISION WOULD PAY OFF IN SPADES?

THEY'RE YOURS NOW.
ITEM
(NAME: KAMISH'S WRATH)
LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY: ??
TYPE: DAGGER
ATTACK +1,500
THE MOST POWERFUL DAGGER FORGED BY A MASTER CRAFTSMAN USING THE SHARPEST FANG OF A DRAGON. ITS SHARPNESS IS SECOND TO NONE, AND ITS MANA SENSITIVITY IS EXCEPTIONAL. THIS WEAPON WILL THEREFORE BECOME MORE POWERFUL DEPENDING ON THE USER'S CAPABILITIES.

1,500 ADDITIONAL ATTACK DAMAGE? NO WAY!
I ALWAYS THOUGHT THE DEMON KING'S DAGGER WAS GOOD, BUT... IT DOESN'T EVEN COMPARE TO THIS ONE.
ITEM
(NAME: DEMON KING'S DAGGER)
LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY: S
TYPE: DAGGER
ATTACK +220.
A DAGGER OBTAINED FROM BARAN, THE DEMON KING. A SET EFFECT WILL BE ACTIVATED WHEN TWO "DEMON KING'S DAGGERS" ARE USED AT ONCE.
SET EFFECT "TWO AS ONE":
EACH DAGGER WILL RECEIVE BONUS ATTACK DAMAGE BASED ON THE CASTER'S STRENGTH STAT POINTS.

STATS-WISE, ISN'T THIS LIKE WIELDING A BROADSWORD IN EACH HAND?
SWISH
FLIP
SWISH

WHOA THERE, MR. SUNG! THAT THING CAN SLICE THROUGH ME EVEN IF I STRENGTHEN MY DEFENSES WITH A REINFORCEMENT SKILL.

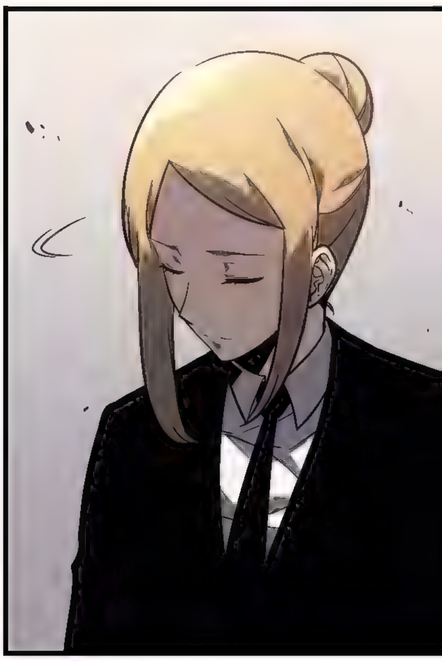
YOU'RE NOT THINKING OF KILLING ME WITH THE GIFT I JUST GAVE YOU, RIGHT?

THIS IS DEFINITELY NO ORDINARY DAGGER.

IT'S REACTING STRONGLY TO MY MANA, AS IF IT'S GREETING ME.

FWOOSH

LAURA, DO YOU STILL THINK MY DECISION WAS A MISTAKE?



SO HOW DO YOU LIKE MY GIFT, MR. SUNG?
ARE YOU SURE I CAN ACCEPT IT FOR FREE?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN "FOR FREE"?
I'D SAY THOSE TWO DAGGERS ARE A CHEAP PRICE TO PAY FOR THE LIVES OF ME AND MY GUILD MEMBERS.

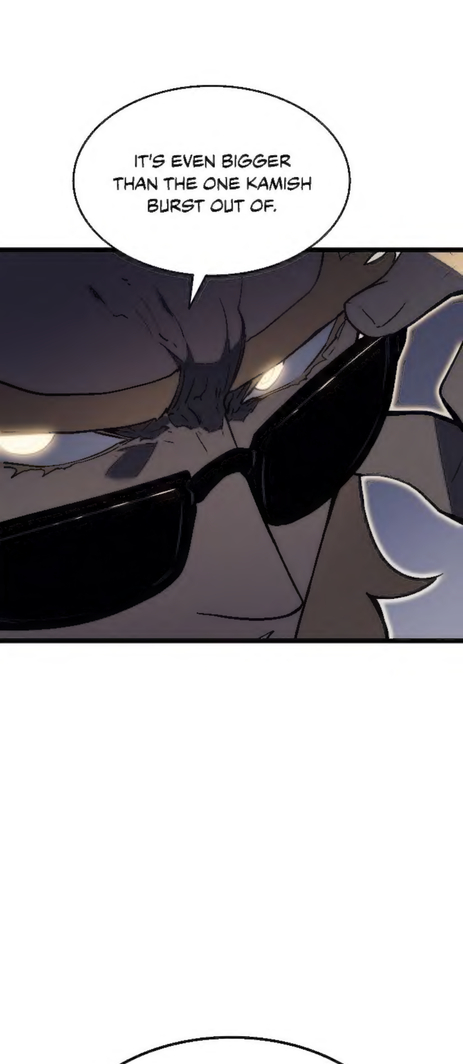
THEN I GLADLY ACCEPT YOUR GIFT.
I'M HAPPY TO HEAR THAT.

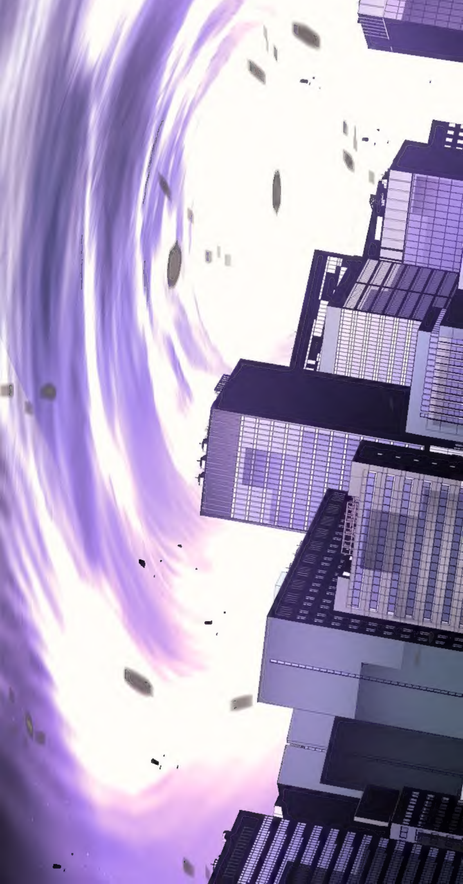
MR. SUNG, JUST NOW...
NOD

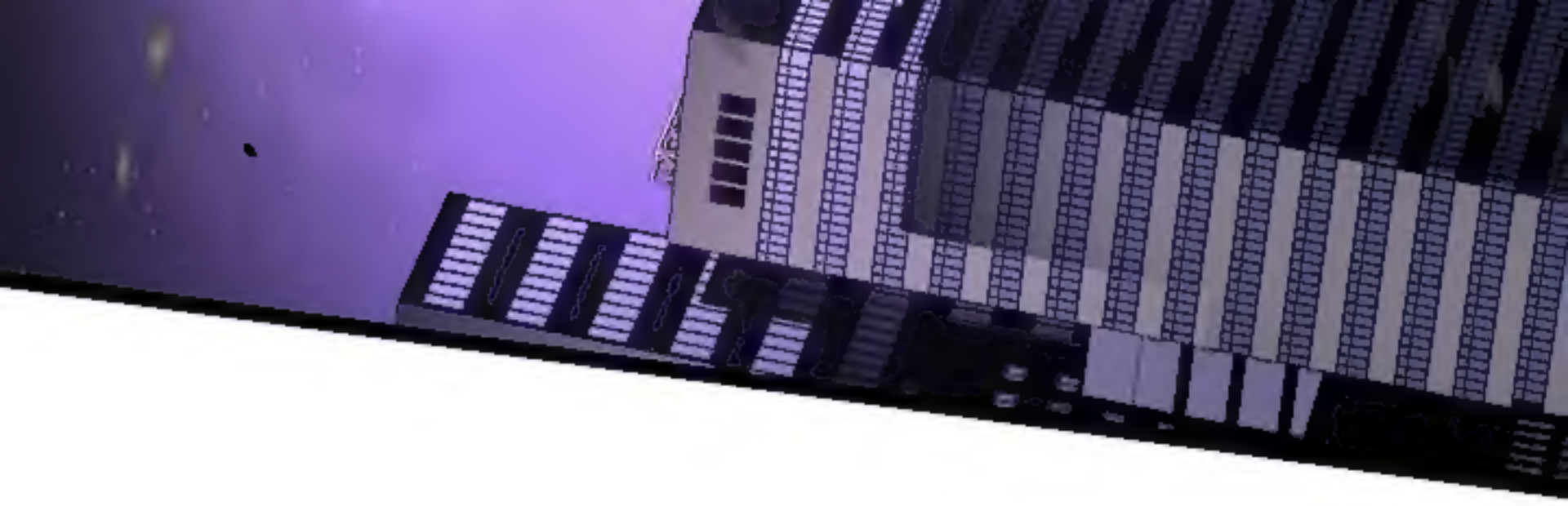
MURMUR
MURMUR

TH...THAT'S...!!

IS THAT WHAT DR. BELZER WAS TALKING ABOUT AT THE CONFERENCE? THE MAGISPHERE THAT'S BEEN GATHERING OVER THE SKIES ABOVE SEOUL?
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT. I'VE NEVER SEEN ONE SO MASSIVE.


IT'S EVEN BIGGER THAN THE ONE KAMISH BURST OUT OF.


DOES THIS MEAN WE ARE NOW DEALING WITH FORCES BEYOND OUR COMPREHENSION...?



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